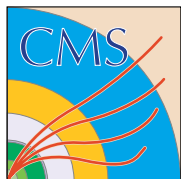




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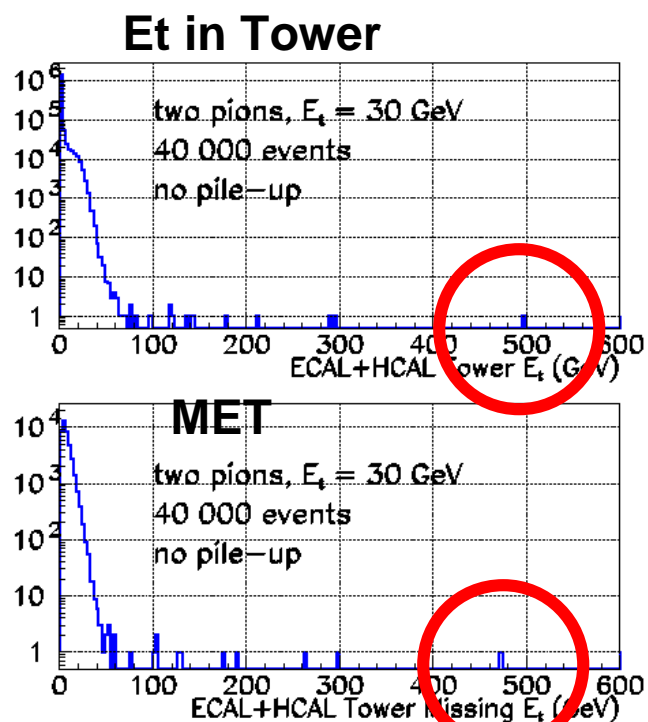
- LOSS 2 vs 1 in CMSIM -

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High Et Tail (Shown by Pal on 01-Aug-01)

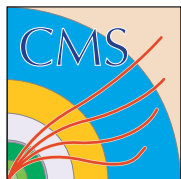
Et=30GeV pion



**5GeV energy loss
in scintillator
in one step in GEANT**

5GeV * (sampling weight) → 500GeV

- **0–60 GeV**
 - amplitude drops by 4 orders of magnitude
- **60–500 GeV**
 - 200 GeV is needed for drop by 1 magnitude
- **good events**
 - ~100–300 HCAL hits
 - energy sum ~ 0.1–1.0 GeV
- **bad events**
 - 1 extra giant HCAL hit, $E \sim 1–5$ GeV
 - come from GEANT (bug / feature ?)
 - Shuichi sees them in the fz files so they come from cmsim



Energy Loss in HCAL with GEANT

LOSS=2 (current CMSIM)

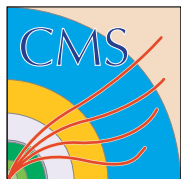
- Continuous energy loss without generation of delta-rays and full Landau-Vavilov-Gauss fluctuation.
 - Good for large solid volume.
 - delta-rays are absorbed completely in the material.

LOSS=1

- Continuous energy loss with generation of delta-rays above DCUTE and restricted Landau fluctuation below DCUTE.
 - Good for thin material (sampling calorimeter)
 - delta-rays escape from the material.

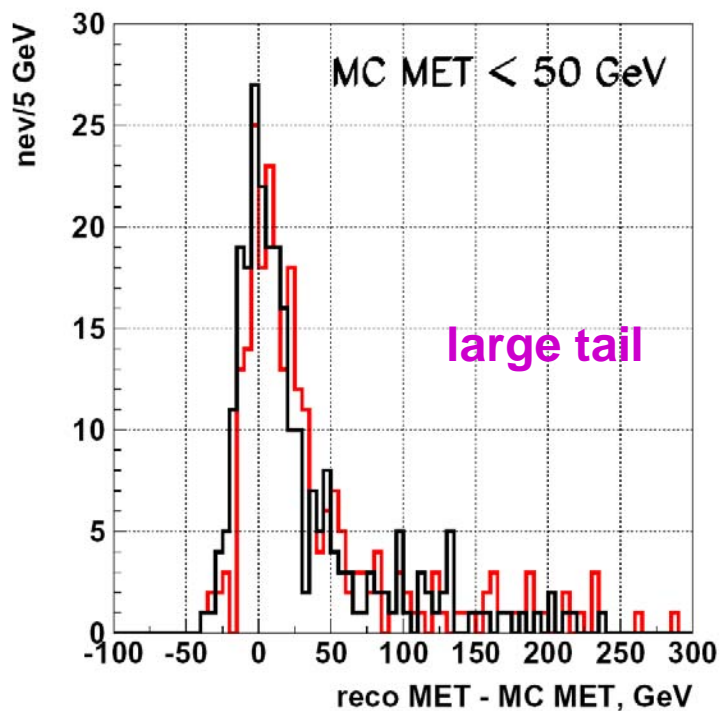
CMS122_hcfix

- LOSS=1 in HCAL
- Sunanda/Veikko will release the version
- Do we want the fix in earlier versions?



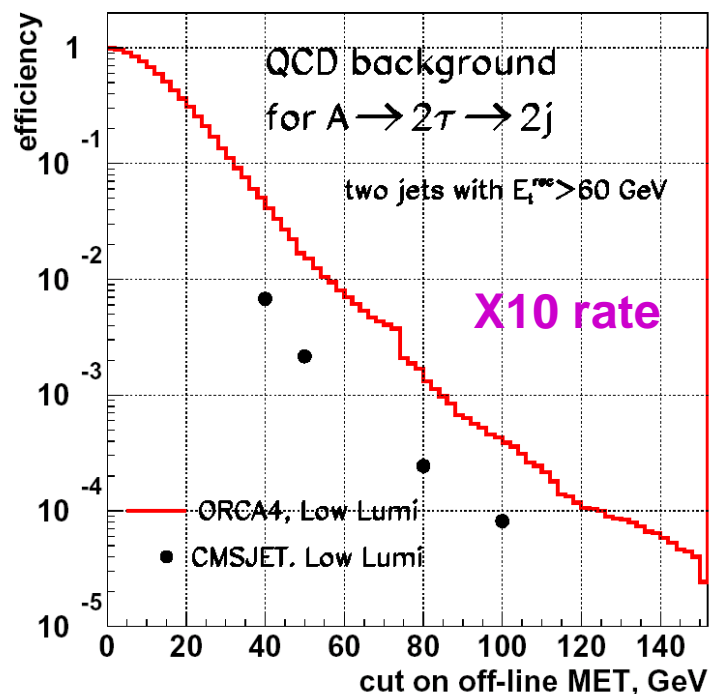
Impact of the problem?

MET in mSUGRA sample



(Nikitenko)

MET in QCD events



(Nikitenko)

- Are these going to be improved with the fix?
- Pal is looking for fix for existing data sets.